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Board and Lodging per Week	$ 6 00
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Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
A Fireproof Safe in the House. au28 dwtf

Colonial Hotel and Driard House.
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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the Colonial Hotel and Driard House, will spare no effort to keep the establishments in first class style and render guests as comfortable as in any house on the Coast.

None but the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.
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MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.

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Fire-proof Safe in the House.
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ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL
—AND—
RESTAURANT,
Government St., Victoria.

TABLE ROOMS FIRST-CLASS
Rate of Charges, Meals 50 Cents.
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The great demand for these spectacles has induced unscrupulous dealers to palm off an inferior and spurious article for the Diamond. Great care should be taken to see that the trade mark <> (which is protected by American Letters Patent), is stamped on every pair. se6

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jy16 F. MARTIN, P

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DEPOSITED WITH DOMINION GOV'T. - - $150,000.

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OLD AND WEALTHY INSTITUTION.
T. ALLSOP & CO., AGENTS, VICTORIA.
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LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
GOVERNOR:
HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.
DEPUTY GOVERNORS:
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M. P.
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.
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3 and 5 George Street, Edinburgh.
82 King William Street, } London.
3 Pall Mall, East, }
66 Upper Sackville Street, Dublin.
MANAGER & ACTUARY—Wm. Thos. Thompson, F.R.S.E.
COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY—D. Clunie Gregor.

Total Amount of Invested Funds, £4,095,589 16 2.

Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9.
AGENTS IN VICTORIA.
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.
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NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE Insurance Company.
Established, 1809.
CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING.
Accumulated Funds, ... £3,286,126.
LOSSES SETTLED WITH
Promptitude and Liberality.
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Established, 1782.
For Insuring every kind of Property in all Parts of the World from Loss or Damage by Fire.

THE PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY with which its engagements are always met by this Company are well known, and the importance of its relations with the Public may be estimated from the fact that since its establishment it has paid more than Nine Millions Sterling in discharge of claims for Losses by Fire.

The security offered to the Public by the Phœnix Office is unlimited, comprising in addition to the large invested capital of the Company the whole fortunes of numerous proprietors composed of some of the most opulent merchants and others in the United Kingdom. Annual and short time Insurances are effected upon all kinds of property in Vancouver Island and British Columbia on the most favorable terms.

Prompt cash payment and full power to settle all losses and claims without referring to the Head Office in London.

Rates and Particulars of Insurance may be had on application to THOS. C. NUTTALL, Agent,
ap1 Government street opp. Masonic Hall

Imperial Fire Insurance COMPANY.
1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall,
LONDON,
Instituted, 1803.

FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by Fire.

Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.

Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.

WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
Agents for British Columbia
my18 And Washington Territory.

THE UNION INSURANCE COMP'Y
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MARINE.
Capital Stock - - - - $750,000.
Capital Paid Up - - - - $375,000.
For Insuring Merchandise, Treasure, Commissions, Provisions, For Information, Rates of Premium, &c., apply to
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Every Man His Own Physician!

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SEVEN SEALS OR GOLDEN WONDER,

FOR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL USE.

A Source of Happiness to Millions of Suffering Humanity.

During the past year the wonderful success of this Great Remedy has far exceeded our most sanguine expectations; Thousands have been Cured, and thousands have found out from actual experience that Dr. Radcliffe's Great Remedy, SEVEN SEALS OR GOLDEN WONDER, is the most wonderful Pain Destroyer in existence, the most Expeditious, Safe and Powerful Remedy known in the World. Cures are effected almost instantly, as if by magic. Thousands of Certificates have been received from all parts of our broad land, unsolicited and unasked for, speaking in heartfelt and universal praise of this Great Remedy, from personal knowledge of its almost miraculous powers in curing the most obstinate and protracted cases of Disease.

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J. FINLAYSON,
FAMILY GROCER
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BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED and ground daily.
Goods delivered to any part of city. je10



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FAMILY
BUTCHER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Meats and Vegetables,
PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch.
Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.
mh10 LONDON MARKET

HAYWARD & JENKINSON,
Undertakers,
LANGLEY STREET, VICTORIA.

EX PRINCE ALFRED
HAVE RECEIVED A STRAIGHT INVOICE of
English and American
COFFIN FURNITURE
AND
Trimmings.
Of New and Improved Design, all of which are offered to the trade at Reduced Prices.
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Official List of Letters

REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE AT Victoria on the 1st July, 1874.

Persons calling for any of the Letters in this List will please say, "Advertised,"

A—Augustus, F J
Anderson, J
Anderson, W
B—Blondell, W
Baker, R
Baker, P H
Bell, Mrs W
Baker, S
Barnswell, R
Barnett, B
Berneswell, J A
Bentley, H
Boake, W
Boland, J
Brackley, V
Breslaner, T
C—Clanton, R T
Clindennin, J W
Capiolis, G N
Clendinning, J
Campbell, J
Chapman, W J
Carr, J
Collings, W P
Coker, Mrs A M
Cutler, C H
Coburn, F
Colvin, R W
Cook, A S
Courteney, W F
Cox, W H
Calhere, D E
D—Deaveau, O
Dargan, J
Douglas, W
Dry, M
Dunn, J
Douglas, J
E—Etty, G
Evers, H
Everest, —
F—Fletcher, J
Fletcher, J H
Flynn, E
Farmer, R H K
Folsom, T B
Fraser, Mrs E
G—Gilbert, G L
Greene, S
Goepel, P D
Griffin, H S
H—Hardie, Miss M
Havisine, J K
Henderson, J
Harris, F
Hardie, M J
Hartnell, H J
Hilton, N
Hart, J H
Harding, F
Hood, J
Hume, J
Hussey, Wm
Hume, F
Hutchinson, J H
J—Joncen, Miss C
Johnson, E
K—Keeler, J
Kuhn, J
Kaille, P
L—Lean, E A
Latz, S
Landymore, A
Lester, P
Lamb, F F
Lazard, Freres & Co.
Lee, F
L—Lewis, J
M—Manford, S & O
Merr tt, —
Marguet, F
Mason, Mrs H
May, A
Miller, J
Murray W G
Munro, Mrs W
Moss, Mrs J
Morrison, A G
McKenzie, M
McLellen, Mrs A G
McAlister, S J
McDonell H J
McCallum, D
McDougall, P
N—Newport, T L
Nichols, Miss C
O—O'Leary, F
Orton, H P
Ollson, E
Osborne, J
P—Pickering, S W
Patterson, R
Perry, J F
Porter, J
Paul, A
Pritchard, J A
Perpena, Mrs C
Porter, J
Philbrook, E E
Pinkerton, J
Puitz, J
Payne, F
R—Redmond, J J
Raine, Capt. W Y
Reid, D H
Robertson, M L E
Ross, J
Rowett, R
Roff, H
S—Seamon, D
Shea, J
Smythe, Wm
Sears, J
Shanks, H
Smith, J G
Slater, J
Simpson, W
Smalley, J
Smith, J E
Smith, Mrs J
Stewart, J
Speed, T W
Spencer, T
Stevens, J C
Stevens, C
Stark, L
Sutherland, K
Sullivan, J
St. Pair, M
Stewart, Mrs E
Stewart, P
Stuart, A F
T—Thomas, G
Thistleton, J
Tod, J
Tod, A
W—Walker, A E
Williams, A
Weigle, J E
Walsh, J
Wilkins, —
Walsh, J
Wheeler, A

jy4 HY. WOOTTON, P. M.

NOTICE.
Team for Hire.

GEO. FRANCIS begs to notify the public that his Team stands opposite his Stable on Trounce alley ready for hire at any hour of the Day or Night. se1

C. STROUSS & CO.
OFFER FOR SALE
IN BOND OR DUTY PAID.

HENNESSY PALE BRANDY,			in Qrs. and Octaves;
do	DARK	do	in Qrs. Very Fine, Vintage of 1846.
do		do	in Cases;
SAZARAC		do	in Qrs. and Octaves, Vintage of 1854.

WINES:

CHAMBERTIN BURGUNDY,	in cases.	CALIFORNIA HOCK,	in cases.
CHABLIS	"	do DRY MUSCATEL	"
CLARET	"	DUFF GORDON SHERRY,	in qr. cks.
CALIFORNIA WHITE WINE	"		

Sardines, in qtrs. and hfs;
French Mustard;
French Peas

Dried Peaches, in boxes;
Teas—Congou, Oolong and Basket;
2,000 Grain Sacks.

Commercial Row, Wharf Street, Victoria.
June 17th, 1874. je18 1m

POST OFFICE NOTICE.
Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., per Prince Alfred	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Olympia	Monday and Thursday 2 P.M.	Tuesday 10:30 A.M.; Thursday 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Yale and Intermediate Offices.	Wednesday at 2.30 P.M.	Monday at 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Saturday 2:30 P.M.	Thursday at 5:30 P.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday 5:30 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS.
MONEY ORDERS ON GREAT BRITAIN ISSUED AND PAID.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 10 A.M. to 4 P.M., except on Mail Days, when Money Orders will not be issued.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. ja1

FURNITURE
BEDDING, CARPETS,
WINDOW BLINDS,
Crockery, Glassware,
SHEETING, WALL PAPER,
—AND—
HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS
Of Every Description.
A large assortment of
Jam and Butter Jars

CUPS AND SAUCERS - - - - $1 per doz.
DINNER PLATES - - - - 50 cts. do

In fact if you want a Cheap Outfit Go to
MANSELL & HOLROYD'S
CORNER OF YATES AND DOUGLAS STS
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Dr. CHONG,
JUST ARRIVED FROM CHINA—PUYSIcian, Surgeon and Accoucheur,
Cormorant street, three doors below Kwong Lee's.
Every description of Chinese Medicines for sale.
Medicines just received from China.

REDUCTION IN FURNITURE!!
CLEARING OUT Sale.



Previous to Removal to the New Brick Building now in course of erection,

JACOB SEHL,
COR. GOVERNMENT AND BROUGHTON STREETS
Offers for sale his large and well selected stock of
FURNITURE AND BEDDING,
Mirrors, Carpets,
Patent Self-Acting Window Blinds,
Picture Frames, Mouldings, Bird Cages, Children's Carriages, C. O. Lamps, etc., in every variety,
AT REDUCED PRICES,
In order to save expenses of Removal and to enter new store with an entire new stock of goods now on the way from Eastern and Canadian Factories.
Elegant Parlor Sets on hand and made to order by a first-class Upholsterer at San Francisco Prices.
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HEE GEE,
WASHING and IRONING,
ap24 YATES St., opp. Mr. Bowman's House]

Notices.

NOTICE.
THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE EXISTing between John Parker and Wm. Owens, as Butchers, in Victoria, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business in future will be conducted by John Parker, who will pay all liabilities and to whom all outstanding accounts must be paid.
JOHN PARKER,
Witness—C. W. HORTH. WILL. OWENS.
Victoria, July 17th, 1874. jy21

NOTICE.
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for all Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN
MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 10 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening

Private Bills.
HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 12th March, 1874.
NOTICE OF INTENDED APPLICATION FOR a Private Bill, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, must be published in the British Columbia GAZETTE and in a newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the nearest District in which a newspaper is published. Such notice must be continued for six weeks prior to the consideration of the petition for the Bill. The Rules relative to notices of Private Bills are published in full in the British Columbia Gazette.
J. ROLAND HETT,
mh17 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Notice to Mariners.
A BELL BUOY BEACON PAINTED RED having a square cone 12 feet high built on it, has been moored in 9 fathoms of water off S. W. Point of Brotchie Ledge, off Victoria Harbor.
The Bell will toll at all times and may be heard from three-quarters of a mile to one mile distant.
Persons are hereby cautioned from boarding said Beacon, or in any way interfering with the same, under penalty of five hundred dollars, which will be rigidly enforced upon information.
JAMES COOPER, Agent.
Department of Marine & Fisheries,
Victoria, B.C., May 11, 1874. my19 6m

MUNICIPAL
Notice to Contractors.
SEALED TENDERS (ENDORSED TENders for Grading Chatham street) will be received until 7:30 p.m. on the 29th inst., for Grading Chatham street, from Government to Douglas street and from Douglas to Blanchard street.
Plans and Specifications can be seen at the City Surveyor's office, daily, from 10 a.m. to 4 o'clock p.m.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Security required for the faithful fulfilment of contracts.
By order of the Mayor and Council.
WM. LEIGH, C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, 24th July, 1874.

NOTICE
Bark Mary Edey, from Liverpool.
NEITHER CAPT. WRIGHT NOR the undersigned consignees will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
JANION, RHODES & Co.
VICTORIA, B.C., July 23, 1874.

MUNICIPAL
Real Estate and Road Tax.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE Real Estate and Road Tax for the Current Year are due and payable at the office of the undersigned on Broad street. All persons liable to pay the said taxes are required to do so forthwith or proceedings will be taken to recover the same.
THOS. RUSSELL, Collector.
City Council Chambers, July 20, 1874.

Municipal—Public Notice.
TAKE NOTICE THAT ALL OWNERS OR AGENTS of property in the City of Victoria, B. C., are hereby required to cause to be eradicated all thistles growing upon their lots during the season; and should the said owners or agents fail to comply with this notice, the provisions of the By-Law in such case made and provided, will be strictly enforced.
By order of the Mayor and Council.
City Clerk's Office, } WM. LEIGH,
25th June, 1874. } Je26 C. M. C.

BAGNALL'S
PIANO AND MUSIC STORE
HAS BEEN ENLARGED AND STOCKED with a fine selection of
English & French Pianos
PARIS HARMONIUMS,
MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS,
A Large Assortment of
Violins & Cases, Bows, Best Roman Strings, Music Stools, Canterburies, Whatnots, Music Stands, Book and Sheet Music, New Music Every Month.
Pianos for Hire or Purchase on Easy Terms. All Instruments Warranted.
J. BAGN. ALL, Tuner and Repairer of Musical Instruments, 20 years experience. mh3

Plummer & Pagden
AUCTIONEERS,
APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS
COMMISSION AGENTS,
Wharf Street, Victoria.

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf Street, opposite the foot of Yates Street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention they hope to secure a share of the public support.
Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for Cash.
Liberal advances made on Consignments.
Books kept or audited, balance sheets made up, statements prepared and a general accountant's business confidentially transacted. jy4

DeWIEDERHOLD & Co.
COAL & WOOD MERCHANTS,
Coal Yard on Messrs. Janion, Rhodes & Co's wharf, Store street.
ORDERS LEFT AT MESSRS. T. ALLSOP & Co's Office, Government street cor. of Bastion and W. J. JEFFREE'S corner of Government and Yates st or at the office on the Wharf, Store street, will promptly executed. no1

A. Casamayou & Co.,
YATES ST., VICTORIA.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLESALE Dealers in
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS
And Preserves.

Daily British Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 30TH, 1874.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

The Royal Commission.

It appeared the more proper course to withhold expression of opinion on results until the evidence was all in and the Report of the Commissioners placed before the public. Nor is a material departure from that course intended now; but the unblushing and indecent efforts which are being made to misrepresent the whole case seems a sufficient reason for placing the following facts before the public: It is not true that Mr. Robson either "concocted" or "preferred" any "charges" against members of the Government, in connection with the Texada affair. On the contrary, he distinctly refused and disclaimed any intention to do so. Certain statements having appeared in the public newspapers, he moved to have them investigated. The public journals of the House show this, and it will be sufficiently proved by the following Resolution, which was carried as an amendment to the motion for investigation: "Whereas the Honourable Member for Nanaimo has stated, in his place in the House, that certain statements have appeared in the public newspapers, connecting members the late Government and of the present Government with proceedings of a questionable nature, in relation to Texada Island, in the Straits of Georgia; and that certain other transactions are alleged to have taken place, in respect of the said Island, of a nature prejudicial to the public interest; and whereas the said Honorable member for Nanaimo has declined to pledge his belief of the truth of the said statements and charges, this House is of opinion that there is no sufficient ground shewn to justify it in moving His Honor the Lieut.-Governor to issue a Royal Commission to enquire into the truth of the said newspaper statements." It will naturally occur to the reader to enquire how after passing such a resolution, the House came to ask for a Commission. It must be admitted that the explanation places that body in a somewhat anomalous position. No sooner had it affirmed the insufficiency of the ground than it turned round, at Mr. Walkem's bidding, and, by a vote of 15 to 6, passed a resolution actually asking for the appointment of a Commission! As for any responsibility in respect to the expense involved, the House is, of course, responsible; but if responsibility can be considered as attaching more to one individual member of that House than to another, undoubtedly Mr. Walkem is that member. And yet, we do not think the country will grudge the two thousand dollars it will at the very utmost cost, when all the facts and results shall have been properly placed before it. In due time we shall be prepared to direct public attention to several thousands spent in a very much less justifiable way. It is not true that the statements which appeared in this or any other journal respecting the Texada "grab" were either concocted or written by Mr. Robson. It is already in evidence before the Commission that he had nothing whatever to do with them—in fact, saw them for the first time in print! *It is true that the investigation had not proceeded far when it was publicly admitted by the Commissioners that "enough had been elicited to justify the attacks of the watch-dogs of the public—the newspapers, and to create the gravest suspicion".* It would no doubt be much more convenient for some people if these watch-dogs slept upon occasion. As for the evidence already adduced, it is not our intention to depart from the good old rule of awaiting the completion of the case, when we shall take occasion to deal with it. There are doubtless those who would like to consider the case as already complete!

A SUMMARY PUNISHMENT. — A correspondent of the Manchester (Eng.) *Examiner* gives an account of the summary punishment at Heywood of a married man who had been courting a girl under the pretence of being a bachelor and was found out. When the deception he had practised became known he went to the house of the girl's mother to apologize for his misconduct, and to pay the cost of an attorney's letter threatening legal proceedings. What followed is thus described by the correspondent: On coming out of the house into the street, to his great surprise, he was met by several hundred of the people, and half a dozen stalwart fellows at once laid hands on him. He was conducted with due ceremony to the centre of the street and here ordered to stand erect, while two men of the same band were told off to flog him with a stout hempen rope, which they laid on his back with unmerciful thwacks. The man yelled painfully while this was going on. He was at intervals also ordered to "stand at ease" and "eyes right." After the flogging he was tarred all over with tar, and then the tar was sprinkled with flour, amid the jibes and jests of the bystanders. It was then proposed that he should be dragged through an adjoining millpond, which was however not carried out, owing to the interference of several bystanders. He was paraded up and down a short time longer, and then allowed to march up Bury street to the house of a relative, where he found shelter from the fury of the crowd. The man had three children and a pretty wife.

MRS. M. M. JAMIESON has received by last steamer Butterick & Co.'s celebrated patterns, comprising the latest styles of Ladies', Gents' and Children's Garments of every description.—View and Broad streets, Victoria. * *

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.



R. B. THOMPSON,

DENTIST,

Will be in Victoria on Saturday next. jy30



Dominion Government Public Works.

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE undersigned will be received till Monday next, at noon, for certain fittings to Postoffice. Plans and Specifications to be seen at the office of the Clerk of the Works. The Government does not pledge itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

E. W. PEARSE,
Public Works Department, Victoria, B.C., July 29, 1874. | Resdt. Engineer.
jy30

WINES & SPIRITS.

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE

ARE NOW LANDING

EX "MARY EDEY,"

FROM LONDON.

HENNESSY'S ONE STAR BRANDY,
IN CASE.

HENNESSY'S THREE STAR BRANDY
IN CASE.

HENNESSY'S PALE COGNAC,
VINTAGE 1869, VERY FINE.

SWAIN, BOORD & CO'S OLD TOM,
IN CASE.

DeKUYPER & SON'S GENEVA.
IN GREEN CASES.

BEGG'S LOCHNAGAR WHISKY,
IN QUARTER CASKS & CASES.

DUNVILLE'S IRISH WHISKY,
IN QUARTER CASKS & CASES.

SHERRY AND PORT,
IN QUARTER CASKS.

CLARET IN CASES, Etc., Etc.

All of which are offered to the Trade in quantities to suit.

WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, B. C. jy30 1m

AUCTION.

MARBLE TOP FURNITURE, CARPETS, &c.

A. B. GRAY & CO.

Have received instructions from William Lawson, Esq., of San Francisco, (late of Park street, Victoria,) to sell on

Wednesday, Aug. 5th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The whole of his nearly new and well-kept

Modern Furniture.

COMPRISING:

PARLOR, DINING AND SITTING ROOMS.

Marble Top Centre Table, Whatnot, Piano Stool, Music Stand, Chiffonier, Rocking, Folding and Reception Chairs, Parlor Stove, Lounge Sofa, Mahogany Window Poles, Damask Curtains, Lace Curtains, 52½ yards Brussels Carpet (nearly new), 27 yards 3-ply Kidder Carpet, 2 Large Marble Vases, Hearth Rugs, Fenders and Fire Irons, 1 Raymond's Sewing Machine in order, Ornaments in variety, &c., &c.

HALL AND STAIR CASE.

Handsome Mirror Hatrack and Stand, Mats, Wax Cloth, Door Scraper, Stair Carpets, Stair Rods, &c.

BEDROOMS.

Mahogany Double Bedstead, Iron Bedstead, Single Bedstead, Best Spring Mattrass, Hair Double Mattrasses, Pulu and Straw ditto, Feather Bolsters and Pillows Dressing Bureaus, Swing Mirrors, two Marble Top Washstands, other ditto, Towel Racks, Tables, Chairs, Bath, etc.

KITCHEN AND SUNDRIES.

Cooking Stove, Tables, Chairs, Step-ladder, Tubs, Clothes and other Baskets, &c., Garden Implements.

N. B.—The above desirable Furniture will, for convenience of sale, be removed to Auctioneers' salesroom, corner of Fort and Langley streets.

A. B. GRAY & CO.,
jy30 Auctioneers.

New Advertisements.

Wanted.

A NURSE GIRL—Apply to MRS. INNES, Naval Yard, Esquimalt.
jy30

NOW LANDING EX Mary Edey

BRANDIES.

THE CHAMPAGNE VINEYARD PROPRIETORS Cognac, Vintages of 1825, 1831, 1858, 1862, 1864, 1868, 1869, in qr. casks and octaves.

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FOR SALE BY
TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,
Wharf street, sole Agents for British Columbia.

THE SOUTHERN VINEYARD PROPRIETORS BRANDY,
IN CASE. FOR SALE BY
TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,
Wharf street, sole Agents for British Columbia.
jy29

WHISKIES.

BULLOCK, LADE & CO'S
BENMORE,
CAMLACHIE,
CAOL ISLAY,
IN BULK AND CASE.
FOR SALE BY
TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,
jy29 Wharf street.

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BASS & CO'S ALE & GUINESS' STOUT
Bottled by Foster & Sons.
FOR SALE BY
TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,
jy29 Wharf street.

ALSO ON HAND,

IRISH WHISKIES,
Double Crown and Amontillado Sherries in case and bulk,
PORT WINE,
ENGLISH SODA WATER, Etc.
FOR SALE BY
TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,
jy29 Wharf street.

Bark Mary Edey, from Liverpool.



THE BARK MARY EDEY, CAPT. Wright, from Liverpool, will commence discharging freight at the wharf of the undersigned on **Monday morning, 27th inst.**

Consignees are requested to call at the office, pay freight and receive orders for their goods.

All goods left on the wharf after 5 o'clock p.m. each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners. JANION, RHODES & CO.
Victoria, B.C., July 25, 1874. jy26

LOST.

ON SATURDAY LAST, IN GOING FROM the residence of Mr. J. W. McKay, Belcher street, to Mrs. Leigh's on Fort street, a **Lady's Gold Brooch**, formed in the shape of a sailor's knot surrounding a piece of red coral. The finder will be suitably rewarded upon leaving the same at THIS OFFICE. jy28 3t

PHILHARMONIC HALL

A GRAND CONCERT
—OF—
VOCAL & INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

Will be given in the above Hall, on

Monday, Aug. 3rd, 1874,

In Aid of the Funds of the

BRIT. COLUMBIA ORPHANAGE,

On which occasion will be performed for first time in this Province

SCHILLER'S CELEBRATED ODE

"The Lay of the Bell,"

Set to Music with orchestral accompaniments by ANDREAS ROMBERG

To be followed by a miscellaneous selection of pieces of the best composers.

TICKETS ONE DOLLAR. Concert to commence at 8 p.m.

Reserved Seats 25 cents extra; can be secured at the Hall on Monday, the 3d of Aug., from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. jy22

THE FRENCH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

WILL HOLD THEIR FIFTH GRAND

ANNUAL PIC-NIC

AT MEDANA'S GROVE,

On Saturday, Aug. 1st, 1874,

A SPACIOUS PLATFORM has been erected and **Schaffer's Brass Band** has been secured for the occasion.

In the evening there will be a great

Display of Fireworks!

And Ascension of Balloons under the supervision of Mr. L. LUCAS.

At Six o'clock there will be a

LOTTERY OF SIX HANDSOME PRIZES!

Which can be seen in Mr. J. L. Jungerman's show-window, viz:

1st Prize—Set Gold Brooch and Earrings.
2d " Silver Plated Cake Basket.
3d " Gold Chain and Locket.
4th " Silver Plated Sugar Bowl.
5th " " Cup and Saucer.
6th " " Cup.

Price of Lottery Tickets 12½ cents each.

The new and very interesting game called

MOULLINET,

Will be introduced under the supervision of Prof P. LESLOUIS. Entrance 50 cents. 1st prize $10; 2nd prize $5.

SACK RACE—Entrance 25 cents. First prize $3 50.

FOOT RACE—For boys under 15 years of age—First prize $3.

FOOT RACE—For girls under 15 years of age—First prize $2; second prize, $1.

Pigeon Shooting.

Admission for Ladies and Gentlemen 50 Cents; Children under 12 years, 25 Cents.

Tickets to be had from all the Members of the Committee, Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co, and Frank Campbell, Adelphi Corner.

Music and Floor Committee—P. Bocion, E. McQuade and A. Borde.

Managers—H. Fairstrand, P. Tissot.

Game Committee—F. Leslouis, H. Borde, J. Stephens.

O. H. TREHART, Secretary.
jy22

New Advertisements.

General Abstract

SHOWING the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874.

Liabilities.			Assets.	
Notes in Circulation		$195,696 00	Legal tender coin in Gold and Silver	$134,182 39
Balances due to other Banks and Branches.		36,956 71	Gold and Silver Bullion	40,048 09
Deposits not bearing interest	$617,687 33		Landed and other Property	33,849 04
Deposits bearing interest	72,811 56	690,498 89	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	130,954 78
			All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	741,599 03
Total amount of Liabilities		$922,145 66	Total amount of Assets	$1,082,634 33

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of Quarter ending 30th June, 1874.....$1,490,000 00
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders.....8 ⅌ cent. ⅌ annum
Amount of last Dividend declared.....$ 59,600 00
Amount of Reserved profit after declaring such Dividend.....$ 109,860 00

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 28th July, 1874.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 28th day of July, 1874.
jy29 (Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P.

General Abstract,

SHOWING the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets, within the Province of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874:

Liabilities.			Assets.	
Notes in circulation not bearing interest		$ 76,223 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 87,196 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches		26,218 00	Gold Bullion	4,807 00
Deposits on call not bearing int		107,186 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	1,767 00
Deposits not on call bearing interest		303,192 00	Landed and other Property	18,000 00
			Balances due from other Banks & Branches	241,112 00
			Am't of all other Debts due to the Bank	197,206 00
Total amount of Liabilities		$512,819 00	Total amount of Assets	$550,088 00

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874.....$5,000,000
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders.....10 per cent per annum
Amount of the last Dividend declared for half year.....$250,000
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend.....$1,201,612

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
VICTORIA, 30th June, 1874. JAMES CRAN, Act'g. Accountant.

I, JOHN GOODFELLOW, do hereby declare, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Assets and Liabilities within this Province of the above Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
Declared before me at Victoria, this 8th day of July, 1874.
jy9 [Signed] A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

NEW GOODS

HENRY SHORT,

Gun & Rifle Maker,

FORT ST., opp. Scotch House,

Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,

Central Fire Breech-Loaders,

FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.
jel1

For Sale—To Let.

FOR SALE.

A Rare Chance for Parties to Invest in a Business in the Country.

THE WELL-KNOWN HOTEL AND GENeral Store of LEON ECKSTEIN, now doing a thriving business, is offered for sale on account of the owner having to leave on important business.

The population of the district is rapidly increasing and the store enjoys a large Indian Trade.

From this date goods will be sold at REDUCED RATES FOR CASH!

Attached to the Hotel is a Farm, a beautiful Garden and Fine Orchard. For particulars apply to
H. F. HEISTERMAN,
Land Agent.
Or to LEON ECKSTEIN,
my23dw On the premises.

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE at LOW PRICES the following stock:

100 Head of young Cows and 2 year old Heifers.

100 Head of Yearling Heifers.

The above can be seen at the foot of Okanagan lake till the 1st of May, and on the 15th May at **Kamloops.**

THOS. ELLIS.
PENTICTON, Okanagan, March 1, 1874. mh17dw.

Wanted.

WANTED.

A COACHMAN—Apply at GOVERNMENT HOUSE.
jy18

Tenders Wanted.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO Saturday, the 8th August next, for the construction of a 5-feet Trail from Robertson's pre-emption, Seymour District, Cowichan, to certain pre-emption claims on the North Branch of the Kokasilah River.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

For further particulars apply to
T. C. NUTTALL.
VICTORIA, July 14, 1874. jy15

WANTED.

A FEMALE TEACHER FOR THE GRANville School, Burrard Inlet. Duties to commence in August. Salary $50 per month, together with a house rent free. Apply, stating qualifications, to
RICHD. H. ALEXANDER,
Secty Trustee Board.
Burrard Inlet, B.C., June 30, 1874. jy8

G. D. A. GOULTER

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE Victoria Public that he has received a consignment of

DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES,

And other Goods, direct from England per "Sylhet (which he offers for sale at Reasonable Prices) consisting in part of English Patent and other Medicines, Lung and Chest Protectors, Elastic Stockings, Knee-caps, &c., Brushes, Combs, Sponges, Feeding Bottles, Puff Boxes, Toilet Pots, Soaps, Perfumery, Parisian Hair Wash, Hair Dye, Hair Restorer, Glycerine Wash for the Hands, Judson's Dyes, Plate Powder, Borwick's Prize Medal Baking Powder, Meerschaum and Briar Pipes, Sealskin, Morocco and other Purses, Pens, Ink, Pencils, an assortment of Cut Glassware, and a variety of other articles.

Some CHRISTMAS CASKETS, Etc., at English Prices

STORE on FORT St., adj. Messrs. A & W Wilson's.
ja20 3m

MME. De MEUDON DANCOURT,

Pianist and Teacher of Music,

OFFERS HER SERVICES TO THOSE in search of a musical education. Many years of successful experience as a teacher and performer on the Piano are a guarantee of perfect satisfaction.

Speaks English, German and French.

Residence, Kane street, between Blanchard and Douglas. f 30



TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEhalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty on Thursday the 30th inst., between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., for New Works and Repairs to Residences.

A Specification may be seen at the office any day (Saturdays and Sundays excepted) between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

The lowest Tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES H. INNES,
Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt, 21st July, 1874. } Naval Storekeeper.
jy22

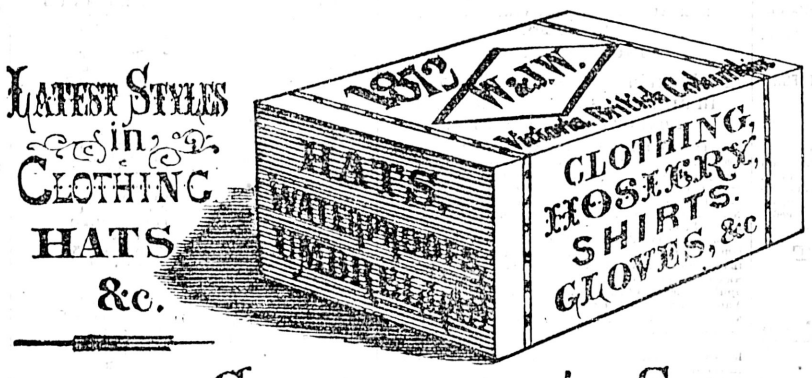
For Sale Cheap to Close a Consignment.

4 CLIPPER MOWERS,
1 WOOD'S MOWER.

EDGAR MARVIN, - - - - WHARF STREET.
jy11

W. & T. Wilson,

GENERAL OUTFITTERS,



LATEST STYLES in CLOTHING HATS &c.

NEW DESIGNS in OXFORD SHIRTS, Scarfs, Collars &c.

GOVERNMENT STREET

(Opposite the Post Office)

Mrs. Abrahams'

PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE,

FORT STREET, one door above Douglas.

Board & Lodging - - - $7 00 per week.
Board - - - - - $5 00 do

Accommodations for Families or Single Persons No Bar attached to the house. jy21

Strayed—$5 Reward.

A BROWN PONY, WITH WHITE spots on saddle place, branded No. 2 on one shoulder. Whoever will bring him to the undersigned, or give information leading to his recovery, will receive the above reward.
jy25 JAMES WARD, Beacon Hill.

RAFFLE.

FOR 2 FINE C. F. BREECH-LOADERS, (Hollis, Maker,) in case complete. Highest Throw first choice; Lowest Throw, second; at

David Hunter's,

GOVERNMENT ST., two doors from the Postoffice.
190 Chances at $1 each. jy15

Sylvester's OMINECA EXPRESS.

CARRYING THE MAIL AND CONNECTING with Barnard's Express, leaves Quesnelle on the arrival of the first Mail from Yale each month.

Saddle Horses for hire on application.

R. SYLVESTER.
L. J. LEWIS, Messenger. my18dw6m

$15 Reward—South Saanich.

FIFTEEN DOLLARS REWARD WILL BE paid by me to any person giving such information as will lead to the conviction of the scoundrel or scoundrels who poisoned my dogs, one on Sunday night, July 12th, and the other on Tuesday night, July 14th.

G. S. BUTLER,
jy17dw South Saanich.

Situation Wanted.

A YOUNG WOMAN RECENTLY FROM the Old Country, who has considerable experience and brings a good character, wants a situation as Domestic Servant in this city. Application to be made at the residence of Mr. H. Keough, Johnson St.
jy28

To Be Raffled.

A SINGER SEWING MACHINE (&c. &c.) will be raffled at the Retreat Saloon list is filled. Due notice will be given.
my16 85 TICKETS $1 EACH

Standard Life Assurance Company,

Head Office, 3 and 5 George st., Edinburgh,

LONDON. 82 King William street, and 3 Pall Mall East (West End Office.)

THE REPORT of the Forty-eighth General Annual Meeting of the Company held in Edinburgh, 29th April last, can be had on application at the Company's Agency.

THE COMPANY has Divided Profits on Eight occasions since its establishment in 1825.

THE SURPLUS FUND divided amongst the policyholders in 1870 amounted to the large sum of £331,591 13s.

ANNUAL INCOME upwards of £700,000.

INVESTED FUNDS upwards of £4 500,000.

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.,
jy23 AGENTS, VICTORIA.

EXTENSION OF TENDERS.

FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF PARTIES the time for receiving whole or separate tenders for the construction of a Wooden House in the upper of Fort street, is extended to noon of Saturday,

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.

Daily British Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 30TH, 1874.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

MARRIED.

In this city, on the 29th inst., by the Rev. Wm. Pollard, at the residence of the bride's father, John Knox, Esq., of South Carolina, to Miss Mary Collins Moore, daughter of David Moore, Esq., of this city.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO., will sell at the Residence of Mr. J. W. McKay, Belcher street, at 11 o'clock. Household Furniture, Pianoforte, &c.

"Ecossais" vs. "Coquehalla."

For some weeks the columns of the New Westminster organ have been deluged with gushing papers in praise of its masters, emanating from the quiet town of Hope, and bearing the *nom de plume* of "Coquehalla." The last article of this grateful eulogist has come under the trenchent pen of "Ecossais," of Yale, who goes for the Ministry and their Hope toady in the following fashion:—

"We can hardly allow ourselves to believe that the people of Hope endorse all the sayings of 'Coquehalla,' and however much we may admire his style of writing, we must condemn his reasoning, as it partakes too much of a personal feeling for individuals, rather than taking a broad view of things political, having a bearing on the welfare of the Province. In regard to the Edgar Mission, and which I think has been most thoroughly reviewed, I will just embrace the opportunity of saying that Edgar simply made advances so as to form a basis for opening negotiations. Now, suppose the local Government had taken up Edgar's proposals, in what position would they have placed themselves? They would have had to submit the question as to the time extension for Railway construction and thorough surveys on the Mainland to be completed before the road was located (to which the Government was opposed) to the people, and there can hardly be any doubt that the people, when such question was submitted, would have passed a vote of 'Want of Confidence' in the Government, which would have compelled them to resign; but as the Hope correspondent must be aware such a business-like transaction was foreign to their views, so it appears that our only panacea is to quietly wait until their term of office expires by limitation. In regard to the Westminster petition, it would appear that 'Coquehalla' even finds fault with it. It is hard to fathom a perverse disposition, and it would appear that the Hope correspondent has made up his mind to oppose everything having a tendency to advance the welfare of the Mainland. He says, 'that he feels sure that if Victoria advocates our interest in regard to route that we will quietly submit to anything they may advance.' Now, 'Coquehalla' must know that Victorians are advocating their own claims, and no one in the Valley of the Fraser now expect any favors at their hands. May I ask the question, What can we expect from those who are represented by a gentleman who had the audacity to declare in the House of Parliament in Ottawa that it would be a waste of public money to survey the Valley of the Fraser, and that the Government might as well throw the money into the river? If the Hope correspondent has any doubt that such language was used by a Victoria M. P., I beg to refer him to the records of Parliament."

"EARNEST CHRISTIANITY.—This is the title of a neat monthly magazine published under the auspices of the Wesleyan Methodist Church in British Columbia, the first number of which has just come from the BRITISH COLONIST steam presses. Amongst the many readable papers contained in this number are several bearing more directly upon the work which is so nobly and successfully done by Wesleyanism on the British Pacific. The magazine is ably edited and will doubtless prove a valuable medium for the dissemination of information more particularly relating to the great Methodist body throughout the Dominion. The subscription price is $2 a year; but the hope is expressed that, as the object is not a financial one, the circulation will be such as will enable the managers to reduce the price for the next volume. We heartily wish it success.

MME. MACMAHON TRIPPED UP.—Mme. MacMahon had an awkward fall recently at a festival given in the Chapel Royal of Versailles, under the patronage of Mme. MacMahon and the extreme Right of the Assembly, for the benefit of the Society for the Relief of Distressed Musicians. As she was stepping from her carriage into the chapel vestibule Mme. MacMahon was tripped up by an awkwardly long dress, and fell face foremost against a marble pillar, bruising her forehead severely. A gentleman who fortunately was waiting to salute her, put forth his arm and broke the violence of the fall, which might otherwise have been attended with the gravest consequences. The disfigurement arising from the contusion did not prevent Mme. MacMahon from sitting out the service and making the collection.

DISGUSTED.—It is reported that the James Bay Ministry are in a frightful rage at Mr. Walkem for tarrying so long at Ottawa and trying to induce Mr. Mackenzie to reopen negotiations for a relaxation of the Terms. The acting Premier has gone off in a huff to Deep Bay to hide his tears and bury his resentment in his potato patch, and the Chief Commissioner and the Finance Minister are making it hot for the employes and persons having business at the offices.

THE French Benevolent Society's Picnic, fixed for Saturday, must not be forgotten. The object sought to be advanced is one purely benevolent, viz: the care of the sick and infirm of all nationalities, colors and creeds. The programme is interesting and varied and Schaffer's band will supply the dance music.

THE steamer Enterprise, with the following passengers, arrived from New Westminster yesterday afternoon:—Mr. and Mrs. Mullen, Mrs. Thain, Mrs. Gibson, Rev. Woods, E. Brown, Capt. Smith, Capt. McKinnon, J. Garnier.

THE alterations to the Postoffice will be given out for tender till Monday next at noon.

Municipal Council.

WEDNESDAY, July 29.

The Mayor took the Chair at 7:45.
After routine the following

COMMUNICATIONS

Were read from: Messrs. Vigelius and Murray asking the Council to order a sidewalk of the proper grade to be laid on the west side of Cook street northward about 300 yards from Pandora, and claiming that they held 7-10ths of the property on the street named.

Received and referred to Engineer for report.

From F. W. Green enclosing a plan and section of Quebec street from Oswego to Montreal streets and approximate estimate of expense of grading and gravelling the same, Laid on the table.

A report of the Street Committee was read on the matter of the drainage of lots on Michigan street (spoken of in a communication from Messrs. Jessop and McDowell) recommending that the Surveyor be ordered to ascertain the probable depth of cutting required. Report adopted.

FINANCE.

The following accounts took the usual course:

Labor on streets, $215; hauling: Strong, $62; J. Lakin, $24; Bond, $24; M. Wells, $36; Lawrence, $22; Tierney, 36; Stelly, $36; Bowman, $42; Kinsman & Styles for culvert, $580; Kelly for watering streets 2 months, $100.

TENDERS

Were opened for grading Chatham street, and the contract awarded to J. Kelly, his tender for $470 and $3 80 for blasting, being the lowest.

On motion of Coun. Drummond Mr. Bunster was granted further time to appear and explain his assertions respecting the set off claimed by him to his taxes.

Coun. Gowen said that he had been informed that the quantity of rock to be blasted out of the harbor would amount to 4,000 tons, and he would suggest the propriety of the Council enquiring whether this rock could be obtained and dumped along the line of James Bay Bridge to form a sea wall to hold back the the mud for filling in the part of the harbor east of the bridge, and proposed that the Mayor be requested to attend to the matter.

Coun. Drummond, seconded.

A long discussion ensued, in which Coun. Mitchell said that he had heard from a Government official that it was intended to use the stone to form an esplanade a front of the Marine Hospital, in order to show off the fine proportions of that building.

Coun. Morton thought it premature to move in the matter at present as the tenders had been sent to Ottawa and we should only be told that we could get no answer till they were returned; and besides if such a fuss was made about the stone, the Dominion Government would ask us what we would give for it.

On motion of Coun. Drummond a committee consisting of Couns. Drummond, Gowen and Hayward was appointed, to be called the "Bulkhead Committee," and to watch over the blasting of the rock in the harbour and report to the Council on the practicability of obtaining the stone and earth blasted and dredged out for the purpose of filling in James' Bay.

Council then went into Committee of the Whole on the report on Quebec street.

LILLOOET.—Our correspondent, writing on July, 20th, says:—"Our Representative T. B. Humphreys, Esq., arrived here on the evening of the 16th; the next morning he was honored with an anvil salute, and met with a kind reception from the residents of Lillooet. He, in company with other gentlemen, visited the Burrard Inlet trail, and will be prepared to give the Government reliable information concerning it, which it is requisite to know: he intends leaving for Clinton on the 20th, staying a short time on the way. The weather just now is very warm which is much needed here, as haying has commenced, and the wet weather lately experienced was doing injury to the crops, causing the rain to fall on ground any way rich. Grain in general looks well; I saw a sample of oats from the farm of Mr. Tesch, measuring over 5½ feet. It is mooted that G. A. Walkem intends to make application for the office of Little Judge of the Extreme Court, as he feels satisfied after trying various *extremes* that he is competent to fill the office with profit to himself. His coat of arms is to be a large horn, a Turkey-cock entering the big and coming out the small end of that musical instrument; British Columbia is represented by a female with upraised hands, exclaiming, 'Just what I expected, Cockey.'"—*Mainland Guardian.*

TREASURE SHIPPED. — The following amounts were shipped through Wells, Fargo's Express yesterday: Bank of British Columbia, $16,463; Bank British North America, $13,029; F. Garesche, $5,838—Total, $35, 330.

PERSONAL. — M. W. T. Drake, Esq., (firm of Drake & Jackson) sailed in the Taber yesterday for England. He will be absent about six months.

SAILED.—The steamship Wm. Taber sailed with a fair wind for San Francisco yesterday afternoon. She had 55 passengers and a small freight.

AUCTION.—The household furniture of J. W. McKay, Esq., on Belcher street, will be sold by auction at 11 o'clock this morning. The lots comprise valuable and handsome sets. See advertisement.

REMOVAL.—*H. SHORT, Gunmaker, has removed to Occidental Building, Fort Street, opposite Scotch House.* ***

THE steamer Isabel towed the ship Dorsetshire to Burrard Inlet yesterday.

A BIG FIRE was raging in the Goldstream woods yesterday.

NO ONE should be without one of the most useful little instruments ever invented. The "LITTLE GEM," for marking linen, cards, books, &c., &c. Each name is set up in type and can be changed in such a manner that one instrument, with a few extra type, will suffice for a whole family. For sale at T. N. HIBBEN & Co.'s, Government street. ***

LIFE INSURANCE.—Before insuring, compare the rates of other first-class companies with those of the Scottish Amicable Mutual Life Assurance Society, established—in Glasgow fifty years ago and having a capital of $8,000,000.—T. ALLSOP & Co. Agents, Government street, Victori ***

Lower Fraser.

[From the Guardian.]

A storm of a very unusual character, passed over the Sumas on Friday last. The lightning, hail, rain and wind, were something terrific; the direction of the storm was from North to South. Strange to say the breadth affected did not exceed two miles, and the tornado seemed to reach a certain distance and then turn back, in all its fury.

Officers McNamara and Morey proceeded on information to the Camp of Mr. J. Grant, on Sunday morning last, where they took into custody three sailors who had deserted from the Ship Southern Ocean, now loading at Burrard Inlet. The tars offered no resistance, and were lodged in Gaol to await orders. These sailors were subsequently sentenced to twelve weeks' hard labor or until their ship is ready for sea.

The Howse party have completed, or nearly so, the reserves at Chewassen, and have now proceeded to the Coquitlam, where they will lay off the reserves for the Indians located in that vicinity.

A Chilliwhack correspondent writes:—Haying is progressing favorably, the yield is excellent; the weather is not what might be expected, those unwelcome showers cause some inconvenience. Labor is very scarce; Indians receive $1 per day and board, instead of 75 cents as hitherto paid for haying and harvesting; the advance is owing to the additional demand for Indian labor on the Yale and New Westminster road, where they receive from $26 to $30 per month. *** We are all to be sued by the Government after the 25th inst., for that obnoxious Road Tax. The ratepayers of this unfortunate Municipality are now standing between two fires; a short time ago our Council received official instructions to collect the Road Tax within the Municipality, and in due course the clerk gave notice that it was due and payable at his office; a few days ago we received notice from the Government Agent, New Westminster, saying that it is payable at his office, and unless paid on or before 25th inst. summonses will issue. How disgusting such bungling must be to those who have already paid; it makes one inclined to exclaim in the language of Falstaff, 'There is no virtue left in villainous man.' Something wrong somewhere."

Bush fires are prevalent arround New-Westminister, in some instances threating private property and destroying fences, bridges &c.

Cheese manufactured at Mr. W. E. Harris' New factory, Keatsie, has been brought to market, and is represented as very superior.

Last evening we had the pleasure of welcoming back Mr. John Maxwell, of Langley, who has been on a flying visit to Ontario. Mr. Maxwell is accompanied by his bride.

ENGLISH MAIL.

The *Weekly Register* (Roman Catholic paper) says: "Our contemporary, the *Church Herald*, has reported the conversation of Mr. Carey Elwes, which statement is perfectly correct. As to the other announcement, referring to a similiar change on the part of the eldest son of a duke, unfortunately there is in that no truth whatever."

Mr. Albert Grant, M. P., says the *Metropolitan*, contemplates purchasing, decorating, and throwing open to the public, eighty-four of the square gardens of the metropolis.

Last Saturday afternoon a lady, attired in a black silk dress, committed suicide by jumping from the Surrey side of Black friars Bridge, London.

The Ship Hotel, Charing-cross, has been sold by auction, comprising a portion of the hotel with adjoining property in Spring-gardens, the whole occupying a site of 3,250 feet. The first bid was £15,000, and, after a sharp competition, it was knocked down to Messrs. Drummond at £30,000, being nearly £10 per superficial foot, and more than £400,000 per acre.

A pastoral by Cardinal Cullen was read in the Dublin Catholic churches on Sunday. Speaking of the attitude of some Continental Powers towards the Holy See his eminence declares there was never a time in which there was less reason to fear for the Church than at present.

Dr. Alford, the late Bishop of Victoria, in a letter to the Archbishop of Canterbury, says that if "the eastward position of the celebrant at the Holy Communion, contrary to law as it now is, shall be made permissable," it might become a most serioua question with him whether he could remain "within the Church of his forefathers."

Fifteen years ago Mr. Disraeli, while at Manchester, received a deputation from Leeds, and in a jovial way promised to visit the latter town in fifteen years. That time having just expired the Premier has been reminded of his promise, and it is understood that he will keep it.

An application, it is said, has been lodged with the Attorney-General, on behalf of the Tichborne Claimant, for a writ of error.

Gold may be hammered into sheets so thin that 282,000 of them, placed one above the other, will only occupy the height of one inch.

The Stroud election petitions were to be heard by Mr. Baron Bramwell on the 2nd of July. Mr. Justice Mellor will, it is stated, try the petition against the return of Mr. Albert Grant for Kidderminster early next month.

On Tuesday, in an action brought by the Marshal of Dublin against an artist for publishing a cartoon of him representing his body in exaggerated proportions, jury in the Court of Queen's Bench awarded the plaintiff one farthing damages.

Mr. Mathew Wyatt, aged 28, a gentleman residing at 11, Park-place, Paddington, has been sentenced this week by Mr. D'Eyncourt, at the Marylebone Police Court, to six weeks' imprisonment for violently assaulting Mr. Charles Clements a bailiff of the Marylebone County Court.

Caroline Ellis, a young married woman, has been taken into custody at Kingston-on-Thames, on her own confession of having murdered her son, nine months old. The child was subsequently found at the prisoner's house in a water-butt pressed down by a pan. It was stated before the local bench of magistrates, before whom the prisoner was taken on Tuesday, that she had been for many years subject to fits.

The Court of Aldermen have decided to grant to Mr. Jonas, the retiring governor of Newgate, a pension of £450 per annum.

The late Mr. John Bates has bequeathed £12,000 to the Corporation for the benefit of the poor of Brighton.

The Rev. J. C. Wright, vicar of Bacton, Norfolk, has presented to the Cambridge Observatory a small Gregorian telescope, which is believed to have been the first of the kind ever made.

Cremation is prospering in Germany. There are now eighty-two cities with cremation societies.

An Oxford Convocation.

A Fashionable Uproar.

A London correspondent waites:—

There are few things more exhiliarating to a jaded Londoner than to ride by an express train, on a bright morning in early summer, from Paddington station to Oxford. The distance is sixty-four miles, and you do the journey in eighty-five minutes. Your train glides and flies rather than runs; the road is faultlessly smooth; you see unrolled before you a constantly changing panorama of most beautiful scenery; the fresh, pure air invigorates you; and you arrive in this ancient city, seat of learning and storehouse of wisdom, in the best of humour with yourself and with your neighbors. It was in this fashion that I came down to attend the annual 'commemoration,' and now, seated in a quiet room in an old and quaint hotel, I try to describe the scene for you.

For some perfectly unknown reason, the commemoration is called the Encarnia, and the hour fixed for the commencement of the Encarnia was eleven o'clock. But as one of the things to be done was to confer upon Sir Garnet Wolseley the degree of Doctor of Laws, and as that great warrior was entertained at dinner at the sister university of Cambridge the night before, it was found necessary to postpone the opening ceremonies until twelve o'clock in order to give him time to arrive. The commemoration was held in the Sheldonian Theatre, a large apartment of an amphitheatre shape. The boxes were reserved for ladies, the pit was filled with graduates and visitors of the male sex, while the galleries were devoted to the undergraduates, who assembled to the number of 600. Now a custom has long prevailed among these young gentlemen of making themselves as intensely disagreeable as possible on commemoration day and of proving that, if they are not ruffians, they know how to play the part of "roughs." Year after year commemoration has been made the occasion of a riot unequalled in any other university under heaven. The undergraduates of Edinburgh are pretty good at this sort of thing, but they can't hold a candle to young "Oxford." To-day these young gentlemen, who are the cream of the rising generation of England's aristocracy, outdid themselves in showing how exactly like ruffians gentlemen can behave. I don't deny that there was some fun in their rudeness, but they spoilt all the fun by their excessive rowdyism, and during the hour which passed between the opening of the doors and the beginning of the proceedings on the stage they amused themselves by pelting the people in the pit with pellets of paper, peas shot from pop-guns, and pennier. Now an English penny weighs a third of an ounce and when hurdled from an elevation with all the force of a strong arm it may inflict an ugly wound. The young gentleman seemed to entertain a violent dislike to bald heads, and when they spied one in the pit beneath them they bombarded it with showers of pennies. I saw more than one gentleman bleeding from the wounds thus given and compelled to retreat. The undergraduates had also come armed with bags full of oranges, and these they threw at every unhappy individual who had the temerity to appear with a blue or red necktie. Eyeglasses were an abomination unto them, and a gentleman who appeared with one over his eye was peremptorily ordered to remove it; being slow in compliance, he was greeted with a shower of peas and pennies, which rattled over his head and struck him in the face. There was some fun in the adjurations addressed to the Dons whose duty it was to escort the ladies to their seats. As they performed this duty they were greeted with shouts, 'Don't you squeeze her hand!' 'Your wife has got her eyes upon you!' 'I see you!' 'I'll tell Betsy Jane, and then won't there be a row!' The ladies themselves were not pelted, but they did not escape comment. Each of them whose personal charms or whose attire pleased the gods in the galleries is welcomed with cheers. "The lady in red," "the sweet creature with the white bonnet," "mamma's pet in pink," all received their meed of applause, and did not seem to be disconcerted by it. All this was carried on amid an indescribable noise of hooting, shouting, groaning, stamping, singing and cheering. There were groans for Gladstone, cheers for Disraeli, fearful groans for the Lord Mayor of London, and a round of cheers for King Coffee, whose umbrella, gorgeously arrayed, was let down by a string from the gallery and dangled over the heads of the people in the pit. Mr. Bright's name was often heard and as often greeted with tempests of groans.

This scene went on with increasing violence until at twelve o'clock the great doors were thrown open, the organ began to play "God Save the Queen," in which the students joined, and Dr. Liddell (Master of Christ Church and Vice-Chancellor), preceded by the proctors and the heads of houses, entered the theatre and took his place upon the platform. No sooner had he done this than the storm from the galleries broke out afresh and with more vigor than ever. The Vice-Chancellor arose and tried to speak, but his voice was drowned in the infernal uproar. He turned very pale, and at once lost his temper, which his tormentors were not slow in perceiving. A conflict between him and them ensued, and the greater part of the remaining proceedings was conducted amid an uproar that would have disgraced a prize fight. The Vice-Chancellor would speak a word or two—then his voice would be drowned in shouts of "Cut it short!" "Speak up!" and so on. However, we managed to make out that this convocation had been called for the purpose of admitting to the degree of Doctor of Laws, "honoris causa," Mr. Justice Mellish, Sir Garnet Wolsely, Sir Erskine May, and Professor Carus. The Vice-Chancellor spoke in Latin, and this was the language used throughout the whole of the proceedings. I am accustomed to the Continental pronunciation of that tongue, and I must say that the Vice-Chancellor's enunciation was almost unintelligible to me. The four candidates now appeared, and each was introduced by the orator, Professor Bryce, in a complimentary speech. He speaks Latin in the Continental fashion—and very good Latin it was—but the undergraduates grew wild at it, and hurled at him a shower of reproaches for his false quantities. As each candidate was presented, the Vice-Chancellor addressed him: "Auctoritate mea et totius Universitatis admitto te ad gradum Doctoris honoris causa;" and the new Doctor then took his seat by the Vice-Chancellor. The prize orations were then pronounced, but amid a hubbub which made it almost impossible to hear them.

A Wonderful Steamship.

It is not generally known that the British Admirality have had under consideration for some time past the scheme of a gentleman who believes that we may, before long, be able to cross the English Channel in twenty minutes, and the Atlantic in two days. The inventor is Mr. C. M. Ramus, M. A., of Trinity College, Cambridge. In a pamphlet which he has just published, this gentleman propounds this idea, which is indeed, a very simple one, being conveyed in the title which he has adopted for the shape of his proposed steamship, "polysphenic"—many-wedged. It is a practical application of the inclined plane principles to steam navigation. The ship is to have a bottom composed of two or more parallel consecutive inclines—the slopes being from 1 in 17 to 1 in 25. Such a form of ship, the author avers, had never been subjected to mathematical investigation before 1872, when he submitted his plans to the Admiralty, and he added that "the lift of a vessel on water depended upon the well-known mechanical advantage belonging to the inclined plane in all mechanical arrangements." This new form Mr. Ramus alleges to be the only one yet discovered that can render a vessel capable, under an unusual amount of propelling power, of steadily traversing the water with great velocity. He calculates that steam vessels constructed on this principle will not require more than three times the amount of power now used to be propelled and maintained at a speed of sixty miles an hour. Acting under the instructions of the Admiralty, Mr. W. Froude made some experiments on this new form of steamship at Torquay in the summer of 1872, and his report was laid on the table of the House of Commons at the end of last session, though it has not been printed. The report would seem to have been unfavorable; but in his pamphlet Mr Ramus contests the decision, and especially Mr. Froude's allegation that an exorbitant amount of power would be required for the proposed new form of construction. If we might trust Mr. Ramus, this allegation was not warranted by the result of the experiments, Mr. Ramus with his model actually obtained a speed at the rate of 63 knots per hour; and he points out that the downward pressure of any vessel is always a force limited to its actual weight, whereas the contrary force acting upwards increases with great rapidity, in fact, as the cube of the vessel's velocity, and is therefore practically unlimited. The world would gladly welcome a steamship capable of performing the wonders sketched by Mr. Ramus, or even half of them, and when he produces the article he may depend upon receiving a reward commensurate in some degree with the greatness of the benefit which he will have conferred upon his fellow men. But he may perhaps find, that theory and practice are not always in accord.—Glasgow "Mail."

Josh Billings has an entirely bald head. It is related of him that once, when he was at the Zoological Gardens in Paris, the day being warm, he lay down upon one of the benches and went to sleep. After awhile he was awakened by a sense of suffocation, and when he opened his eyes he found that something covered his face. He began to struggle to release himself and the next moment a gigantic ostrich leaped up and began to prance down the path. The ostrich had observed the top of Josh's bald head, and, mistaking it for one of its eggs, had begun to sit upon it for the purpose of hatching.

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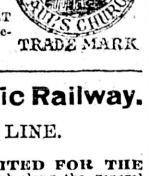
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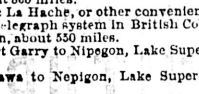
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MONDAY, the 27th day of April, 1874.

PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and under and in pursuance of the provisions of the fourth Section of the Act 36 Vic., chap. 55, entitled "An Act respecting Wreck and Salvage"—

His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council of Canada, has been pleased to constitute and establish the Province of British Columbia a District for all the purposes of the said Act, and the said District is hereby constituted and established accordingly.

His Excellency, under the authority aforesaid, has been further pleased to appoint James Cooper, Esquire, Agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries at Victoria, Receiver of Wrecks in and for the said District of British Columbia.

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JOHN RICHARDSON STUART, DECEASED. Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve Trustees." NOTICE is hereby given that all CREDITORS and other persons having any claim or demand against the Estate of John Richardson Stuart, formerly of 9 Stanhope street, Regent's Park, in the County of Middlesex, but late of Vancouver's Island, a Captain retired from Her Majesty's 19th Regiment of Foot (who died on about the 14th day of May, 1872, at Victoria, Vancouver's Island, aforesaid, Letters of Administration to whose personal estate and effects were granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 3rd day of September, 1873, to Louisa Maria Stuart, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to me the undeisigned, the Solicitor for the said Administratrix, on or before the 1st day of July, 1874, after which date the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice, and that the said Administratrix will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand she shall not then have received notice.

Dated this 16th day of April, 1874.

J. EDWARD CURTERS, St George's Hall, East Stonehouse, Devon, England.

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PAULINA ELIZABETH STUART, Deceased. Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic. cap 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve Trustees," NOTICE is hereby given that all CREDITORS and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Paulina Elizabeth Stuart (wife of John Richardson Stuart) formerly of No. 9 Stanhope street, Regent's Park, in the County of Middlesex, but late of Vancouver's Island, (who died on or about the 6th day of July, 1865,) at Victoria, Vancouver's Island aforesaid, Letters of Administration to whose personal estate and effects were granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 11th day of September, 1873, to Louisa Maria Stuart, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to me the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said Administratrix, on or before the 1st day of July, 1874, after which date the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice, and that the said Administratrix will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand she shall not then have received notice.

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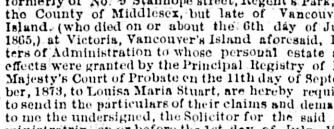
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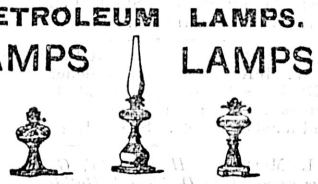
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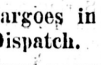
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Vessels passing or rounding the Beacon should give it a berth of at least two cables.

A penalty of Five Hundred Dollars will be enforced upon conviction of any person interfering with said Beacon. JAMES COOPER,

Dept. of Marine and Fisheries, Agent. Victoria, B.C., May 16, 1874. my17dw

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Notice to Mariners.

No. 6 of 1874.

REVOLVING LIGHT, Cape Beale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Lighthouse has been erected by the Government of Canada on Cape Beale, at the South-East point of the entrance to Barclay Sound, on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, Province of British Columbia.

Lat. 48 deg. 47 m in. 48 sec. N.
Long. 125 deg. 12 min. 52 sec. W.

A Revolving White Light on the Catoptric principle elevated 164 feet above high water, will be exhibited on 1st July next. The light will show at intervals of 30 seconds, making a complete revolution in two minutes, and should be seen in clear weather a distance of 16 miles.

The Tower is a square building, painted light stone color, elevated 35 feet from summit to centre of light, with detatched oblong dwelling house, painted same color. The light will be visible from an Easterly bearing, parallel with the coast round to W. by N. ¾ N. Caution is hereby given that the light should not be brought to bear to the Eastward of E. ¾ N., as foul ground extends off the entrances to Barclay Sound.

All bearings are Magnetic. The Light is for the purpose of a coast light, and to indicate the entrance to Barclay Sound.

Mariners, however, should not attempt to enter the Sound at night without local knowledge or a Pilot.

WM. SMITH, Deputy of Minister of Marine & Fisheries, Department of Marine & Fisheries, Ottawa, 20th April, 1874. my22 2m

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